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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

MARK L. SKARNNESS, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/263,918

Filed: March 5, 1999

For: **Method for Interfacing an ATM Network to a PC
by Implementing the ATM Segmentation and
Reassembly Functions in PC System Software**

Art Group: 2663

Examiner: Hyun, S.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully
Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) months month extension of time, extending the period for response to
January 10, 2002, from the Final Office Action dated August 10, 2001. The petition filing fee of \$400.00 and the
Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being
abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is
enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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